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WILLIAMSTOWN

Men's Banquet at Leffingwell's Williams-town Inn.

Thirty-eight men dined at Williams-town inn last Sunday afternoon and found the large, cool diningrooms of Leffingwell well adapted to their requirements, especially on a day with the mercury extending well into the nineties. Following is a list of the diners. The menu was so well prepared and served by Mr. and Mrs. Leffingwell, assisted by their fair young daughters, and so much enjoyed by the hungry diners, who were so well pleased with everything that hereafter these diners will be of frequent occurrence at Williams-town inn: Henry S. Baker, H. F. Burham, E. E. Martin, Guy Martin, J. E. Gregory, J. E. Bailey, Henry Poole, A. E. House, Geo. E. Wilber, J. E. Martin, Charles M. Sasser, Charles M. Edson, John Dow, A. A. Reed, A. N. Fellows, W. B. Jones, Wm. Randall, W. E. Granger, Bert Simonds, Frank Cummings, John A. Perry, Wm. Young, George W. Lynde, L. O. Morgan, Walter Simonds, C. J. Olney, A. H. Harris, C. Edson, Wm. McManis, B. L. Bailey, E. H. Martin, Neal Godfrey, Ed. Clark, Frank Bacon, L. G. Brown, Don G. Staples, Andrew Burham, Glenn McAllister.

Mrs. Griffin from California is here visiting her father, Chas. Benedict.

The Williams-town band is expected to give an open-air concert at their stand in Cornhouse square, Saturday evening.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a social Friday afternoon and evening at the vestry. Young people are invited in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Rowell and Harley Martin and family are camping for two weeks at Cold Spring camp in the south pasture grove of Twin Brook farm.

Excursion to Missisquoi Park. See adv. on page 4.

Potatoes!

If those you are getting don't suit you, try ours. We have both Plain and Sweet, and they are pleasing everyone who buy them at

SMITH & CUMINGS

Good Things to Eat From the Food Department Store
Green Apples for pies.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New gingham at Vaughan's.

\$1.25 wrappers for \$1.00 at Vaughan's.

Excursion to Missisquoi Park. See adv. on page 4.

August sale maulin underwear at The Vaughan Store.

The Frank McWhorter Co. is taking orders for fall suits and overcoats, made to your measure.

Regular monthly meeting of the hospital trustees this evening at the home of F. G. Howland on French street.

How Tobacco Got Its Name.

The origin of the word tobacco is not definitely settled. Oviedo, one of the early Spanish chroniclers, says it was named after a Y shaped instrument which was commonly used as a snuffing tube. The two prongs were placed in the nose, and fumes of the powdered leaf were inhaled. This was called "tobacco," which was the name given to the plant. On the contrary, one of the islands of the West Indies is said to have furnished the name. It is asserted that tobacco was first taken into Spain in 1508 by Fernandez, a physician, who had been sent by Philip II. of Spain to investigate the products of Mexico. It next reached Portugal, was soon introduced into France by the French ambassador, Jean Nicot, and sent to the Portuguese court in 1558. When he returned to his home he presented some of the seed and leaves to Queen Catherine de Medici, and the scientific name of the plant was thereafter designated as "nicotine" in his honor.

Balancing an Egg.

All the world knows how Columbus on a historic occasion made an egg stand on end. After many learned theories had been advanced on balancing the egg he set the egg on end by, of course, smashing down hard enough to form a base, but the problem is capable of still another solution. It is an easy matter to set an egg on a plate, for instance, if you know how. The trick is impossible until the egg has been boiled in an upright position. The position of the hardened yolk at the end of the shell lowers the center of gravity until the sphere can be spun or even balanced with ease.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

Sample belts half price at Vaughan's.

Excursion to Missisquoi Park. See adv. on page 4.

A. W. Allen returned today from a business visit in New York.

Regular convocation of Ruth chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, Aug. 11, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Lois Boley of Burlington is visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Lander, of 94 Summer street.

If in need of footwear of any description, don't fail to call at C. S. Andrews' shoe store in Hale's block.

Miss Alberta Thomas returned to her home in Burlington today after a visit with Miss Florence Pearl.

H. F. Cutler reports that a Maxwell model O won first and second events at the Richfield Springs fair.

There was a slight frost in some places this morning. There has been a frost every month this season, so far.

Miss Rena Morrill of Franklin, N. H., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Bushman, of Summer street.

The cornice and window frames of the Miles granite building are being painted, the work being done by Peter Bombard.

Don't forget that "Dustbane" is the best sweeping compound. Take no substitute. Ask your grocer or the N. D. Phelps Co. for it.

Mrs. Howard Stanley returned to her home in Proctor today after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Friend Whitcomb.

Among the attendants at the East Montpelier Evangelical campmeeting yesterday was Ensign Metcalf of the local Salvation Army corps.

The question has been raised in Montpelier, has a town or city clerk the right to issue a license to a resident of another town or city in the state? An answer is awaited.

Regular meeting of lumpers' boxes' and derelictmen's union, branch No. 50, to be held in Carpenter's hall, Wednesday, Aug. 11, business of importance. For order T. B. Holder, cor. sec.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the board of trade and the committee on new industries at the rooms of the board of trade on Thursday, Aug. 12, at 8 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is requested.

Rev. Dr. J. C. Briggs of Somerville, Mass., who formerly was a resident of this city, visited in Barre last night. Dr. Briggs is attending the campmeeting at East Montpelier. It is his opinion that the meetings are well worth attending.

Special Swedish gospel services at the Baptist church this evening at 7:30. The conductors of the services would like to see the whole Scandinavian population of Barre there to-night. There will be special music. There was a good meeting and a good attendance last night.

CHALMERS' FAMILY REUNION.

About Forty Present at Gathering in Groton.

Groton, Aug. 11.—A reunion of the Chalmers family was held Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pillsbury. There were about forty relatives present, among the number were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Carpenter and two children of South Corinth, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Miles and Jefferson Hall, Topsham, Mrs. Minnie Chalmers and children of West Topsham, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Brown and children and Miss Mar. the Wilcox of Scituate, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. John Chalmers of St. Johnsbury.

WEBSTERVILLE.

George H. Mayo will sell his household goods at public auction, Monday, Aug. 16, at 6 p. m. C. N. Barber, auctioneer.

THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1909.

Weather Prediction.
Fair to-night and Thursday. Moderate northerly winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Petticoat sale at Vaughan's.

Hot baths at the Hotel Otis every day.

Deep cut in prices at Andrews' shoe store.

Michael Monahan is visiting relatives in Burlington.

Excursion to Missisquoi Park. See adv. on page 4.

There will be an auction sale at the Pavilion to-night.

Mrs. Charles Creed visited relatives in Northfield to-day.

L. S. Day went to Hardwick to-day for a business visit.

Fred Bird went to Burlington to-day for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Levin visited relatives in Burlington to-day.

James Gaddis went to Peacham to-day for a visit with friends.

Benjamin Tassie left to-day for a few days' vacation at Lake Morey.

Alexander Morgan of Waterbury was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Miss Ethel Bohannon of Marshfield was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Samuel Spatz of Orlanston, Pa., was the guest of E. Siskie yesterday.

Neil O. Ralph of Woodville, N. H., was a visitor in this city to-day.

Mrs. C. Towne went to Essex Junction last night for a visit with friends.

Angelo Scampini and daughter Nellie left to-day for a few days' visit in Boston.

Mrs. D. C. Jarvis went to Waterbury to-day for a few days' visit with relatives.

W. P. Mortimer left last night for New York to visit his sister, Mrs. A. W. Hill.

You can save money on summer-weight goods by seeing the Frank McWhorter Co.

W. W. Calder is having the platform on his scales in Depot square replaced with a new one.

Miss Julia Allen of Marshfield visited at the home of her brother, M. Lee Allen, yesterday.

A. Aldinoli, C. Calderazzi and P. Coppi went to Montreal last night to spend a few days' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bragg of Waitsfield are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Briggs of Summer street.

Domenica Juanini left last night for his home in Nellore, Ida, after an extended visit in this city and vicinity.

James Nicol left last night for Zanesville, Ohio, where he has a position. Mrs. Nicol will join him in a short time.

Everything seasonable in the fruit line you will find fresh and good at "Tony's" today. Most economical prices in city.

Miss Eleanor Holden of Boston went to Jay yesterday after a visit at the home of Miss Margaret Nichols of Summer street.

Miss Christine Ewen of New York arrived last night for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ewen of Orange street.

Mrs. John Middlebrook returned to her home in Troy, N. Y., to-day after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cruikshank.

R. W. Knight and Richard Veale left last night for an outing at Lake Champlain. They were accompanied by Mr. Veale's sons, Geraldine and Sheldon.

Henry Lager returned to his home in Keosauke, N. Y., to-day after being in this city to attend the wedding of his son, F. H. Lager, and Miss Elizabeth McGue.

R. S. Currier, who is superintendent of poultry at the Vermont state fair, went to White River Junction to-day to confer with Secretary F. L. Davis in regard to the exhibit.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bertram returned yesterday from Durham, P. O., where they were married Monday. They will leave to-night for a few days' stay at various points on Lake Champlain.

Dr. J. C. Briggs a former resident of Barre and an earnest religious worker, is in the city for a few days visiting old friends. The doctor has been attending the camp meeting in East Montpelier where he preached yesterday. He will preach at the Salvation Army hall tonight and everyone is cordially invited to come and meet him.

State's Attorney Gates says that he fails to see why it is expected that he should give authority for any operation upon Mikales and says that it is a matter for the Barre City authorities to look after; that it is not for the state to provide a way for the man to get better in order that prosecution may follow. If the physicians get an authority in the matter they will have to get it from the overseer of poor, or someone in Barre, if Mikales' relatives do not stand the expense of the operation. He has not heard that any operation has been performed.

An appeal was taken yesterday afternoon by W. A. Lord, attorney for Frank J. Colby of Barre, in the petition for a guardian of Mr. Colby before Judge Frank J. Martin in probate court. After the testimony was submitted by the petitioner, Charles M. Colby, a brother living in Orange, was appointed guardian of Frank Colby on the grounds that he was mentally incapable of taking care of himself. It was stated that Mr. Colby is heir to some property left by his half brother, who died in the West, and that the petition for guardian was made that it might be properly cared for. The appeal was taken to county court, but upon what grounds it was appealed was not set forth. Mr. Colby is about 60 years of age.

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"The Pulveriser"

"The Blue Legend"

Mr. Chris Mahoney Will Sing

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Adults, 5 cts.; Children, 5 cts

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Makes a laugh where others fail.

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1 Hammock,	regular price, 1.80	Now 1.44
2 Hammocks,	regular price, 4.75	Now 3.80
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